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1. On about 5 July 1953 a Soviet troop transport passed through Bahnhof Stralsund heading in a southerly direction. The transport contained AT guns and trucks.

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2. In early July a truck belonging to the Soviet Navy was observed within the city limits of Stralsund.

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3. vehicle were observed in Rostock:

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4. At about 6 P.M. on 8 July 1953 a Soviet vehicle column consisting of fifteen vehicles and medium AT guns passed through Schwerin going toward Berlin.

The column also included a field kitchen.

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5. At about 4 P.M. on 8 July 1953 a Soviet transport train passed through Schwerin traveling toward the Baltic. The train consisted of about 30 cars. Most of them were flatcars with sidetracks on which heavy AT guns were loaded; some were box cars containing troops.

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6. On 15 July an automobile was observed in Luebz-Parchim. Also seen in Parchim was a jeep and a truck

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7. On 14 July 1953 a Soviet truck [redacted] was observed in Wismar. On 17 July trucks [redacted] were observed. 50X1-HUM
8. On 14 July 1953 a Soviet automobile [redacted] was seen in Ludwigslust. Two Soviet trucks [redacted] were seen on the Grabow-Ludwigslust road. 50X1-HUM
9. On 17 July 1953 the following Soviet vehicles were seen on the road from Schwerin to Wismar: Trucks [redacted] and motorcycle [redacted]. On 17 July 1953 the following vehicle numbers were seen on trucks in Schwerin: [redacted] 50X1-HUM
10. On 19 July 1953 a Soviet transport train consisting of 20 cars was observed in Grabow. Eight of the cars were boxcars containing troops, and the remainder were loaded with medium AT guns. The train was travelling toward Schwerin.

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